

HOUSE BILL 2236

By Brown

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
Chapter 6, relative to student assessments.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-6001(b), is amended by deleting the existing language in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

“As a strategy for assessing student readiness to enter and succeed in post-secondary training, every public school student shall take a series of three examinations, one administered at grade eight (8), one administered at grade ten (10), and one at grade eleven (11). These assessments shall provide educators with diagnostic information to assist in developing interventions for the purpose of increasing high school graduation rates and improving student preparation for post-secondary achievement.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.